

## ISO/IEC JTC 1/SC 27/WG 3 N473

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## **LIAISON STATEMENT**

FROM: ISO/IEC JTC 1/SC 27/WG 3  
TO: ECMA

### ***1. Expression of Thanks***

WG 3 thanks the ECMA Liaison Officer, Haruki Tabuchi, for the written liaison report (SC27 N2277) on the progress and status of ECMA TC36 projects related to IT security evaluations and ECMA's intent to develop and maintain a Protection Profile Register.

### ***2. PP Register and PP Registration Procedures***

WG 3 appreciates ECMA's continued review of and input to the PP Registration Procedures work within WG 3. WG 3 agrees to specify a single worldwide registration authority and to adjust the PP Registration Procedures accordingly. WG 3 understands that the final decision by ECMA regarding its candidature to operate the PP registry cannot be made before its General Assembly on 1999-06-24, and would welcome a statement of ECMA's decision thereafter.

### ***3. E-COFC and a PP based on E-COFC***

WG 3 continues in welcoming ECMA's effort working with U.S. NIST to develop a Protection Profile based on the new ECMA Standard, Extended Commercially Oriented Functionality Class (E-COFC) and continues to look forward to the release of the documents resulting from this work. WG 3 also welcomes the work on an update of the E-COFC to a version 2 (containing the usage of the Internet, the paragraph about Uniqueness of Origin, the definition of Business Action) and looks forward to the respective results.

### ***4. New Standards and Role Based Access Control***

WG 3 also welcomes the planned work on new standards and role based access control and looks forward to the respective results.